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In re Application of	:	JUN 11 2009
<u>HASHIMOTO, ROY T.</u>	:	DECISION ON PETITION
Application No. 10/603,135	:	
Filed: June 23, 2003	:	
Attorney Docket No. SSR-001-2	:	

This is a decision on the Petition To Withdraw Holding Of Abandonment received in the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) on May 19, 2009.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application was held abandoned for failure to timely pay the issue fee as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due, mailed December 2, 2008, which set forth a three (3) month statutory period for reply. Accordingly, the Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 27, 2009.

Petitioner states that the Applicants responded by timely paying the Issue Fee on March 2, 2009. In support of this assertion the petitioner has submitted documents, which include the following:

- Copy of Form PTOL-85B (FEE(S) TRANSMITTAL) signed by Edward Mao
- A verified statement signed by Edward Mao on May 19, 2009, which declares the prepared and mailed on March 2, 2009

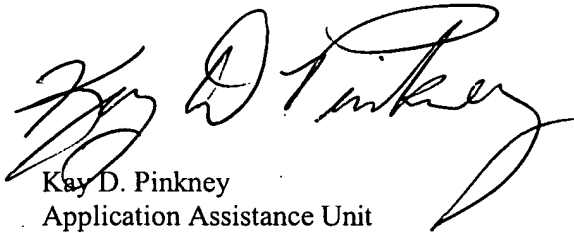
The petitioner has demonstrated that the Fee Transmittal was timely mailed on December 9, 2008, and is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.10 in that

(1) the Patent and Trademark Office was promptly informed of the previous timely mailing,

(2) included a statement which attests to the previous timely mailing.

In view of the foregoing, the holding of abandonment for failure to timely pay the issue fee is hereby withdrawn and the application restored to pending status.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision be directed to the undersigned in the Office of Patent Publication at 703-756-1547.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kay D. Pinkney', is written over the typed name and title.

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